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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: INITIATION OF ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION OF BULK ASPIRIN FROM THE
PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (A-570-853)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS
PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT OPERATIONS

RE: INITIATION OF ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION OF BULK ASPIRIN
FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (A-570-853)

1. ON JUNE 23, 1999 THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE
FEDERAL REGISTER ITS INITIATION OF ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION
OF BULK ASPIRIN FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (A-570-
853).
2. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS INVESTIGATION, THE PRODUCT COVERED IS
BULK ACETYLSALICYLIC ACID, COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS BULK
ASPIRIN, WHETHER OR NOT IN PHARMACEUTICAL OR COMPOUND FORM,
NOT PUT UP IN DOSAGE FORM (TABLET, CAPSULE, POWDERS OR

SIMILAR FORM FOR DIRECT HUMAN CONSUMPTION). BULK ASPIRIN MAY BE IMPORTED IN TWO FORMS, AS PURE ORTHO-ACETYLSALICYLIC ACID OR AS MIXED ORTHO-ACETYLSALICYLIC ACID. PURE ORTHO-ACETYLSALICYLIC ACID CAN EITHER BE IN CRYSTAL FORM OR GRANULATED INTO A FINE POWDER (PHARMACEUTICAL FORM). THIS PRODUCT HAS THE CHEMICAL FORMULA $C_9H_8O_4$. IT IS DEFINED BY THE OFFICIAL MONOGRAPH OF THE UNITED STATES PHARMACOPOEIA (USP) 23. IT IS CLASSIFIED UNDER THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES (HTSUS) SUBHEADING 2918.22.1000.

MIXED ORTHO-ACETYLSALICYLIC ACID CONSISTS OF ORTHO-ACETYLSALICYLIC ACID COMBINED WITH OTHER INACTIVE SUBSTANCES SUCH AS STARCH, LACTOSE, CELLULOSE, OR COLORING MATERIALS AND/OR OTHER ACTIVE SUBSTANCES. THE PRESENCE OF OTHER ACTIVE SUBSTANCES MUST BE IN CONCENTRATIONS LESS THAN THAT SPECIFIED FOR PARTICULAR NONPRESCRIPTION DRUG COMBINATIONS OF ASPIRIN AND ACTIVE SUBSTANCES AS PUBLISHED IN THE HANDBOOK OF NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS, EIGHTH EDITION, AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION. THIS PRODUCT IS CLASSIFIED UNDER HTS SUBHEADING 3003.90.0000. ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE MERCHANDISE UNDER INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER A-570-853.
4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT CRAIG MATNEY OR ALYSIA WILSON, OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-1778 OR 482-0108, RESPECTIVELY.

5. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS

INFORMATION.

PAUL SCHWARTZ

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*Party Indicator Value:

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